

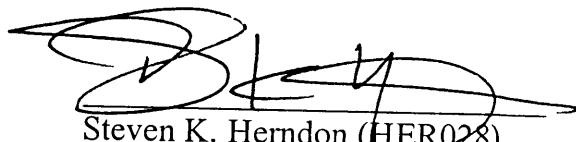
IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
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CSX TRANSPORTATION, INC.,)
DEBRA P. HACKETT, CLK)
Plaintiff)
MIDDLE DISTRICT COURT)
MIDDLE DISTRICT ALA)
v.) Civil Action No.: CV-05-1120-C
)
R.J. CORMAN DERAILMENT)
SERVICES, LLC, R.J. CORMAN)
RAILROAD GROUP, and R.J.)
CORMAN COMPANY,)
)
Defendants.)

NOTICE OF PROCEEDING

Come now the defendants R.J. Corman Railroad Group, LLC and R.J. Corman Derailment Services, LLC, (successor in interest to R.J. Corman doing business as R.J. Corman Company) and give notice to the Attorney General of the State of Alabama, pursuant to Section 6-6-227, Code of Alabama (1975) as amended, of its challenge to the constitutionality of the recovery of punitive damages in the above styled action. A copy of the Complaint and Answers of these defendants are attached and served with this Notice of Proceeding.

Respectfully submitted,



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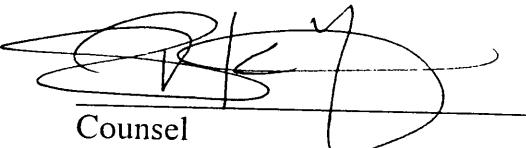
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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that the above and foregoing was served on the following by placing a copy of the same in the United States mail, postage prepaid and properly addressed, this 30th day of November, 2005.

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